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(57) Abstract <p>Novel monoclonal and polyclonal antibodies that selectively bind to various biologically active fragments and fragment analogs of the mammalian <i>ob</i> gene product are claimed. The invention is useful for purifying the <i>ob</i> gene product, its fragments, and analogs. The claimed antibodies are also useful in diagnostic tests to monitor therapy.</p>			